

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:	WOLF et al.	Confirmation No.:	8811
Application No.:	10/588,410	Group Art Unit:	1638
Filing Date:	August 3, 2006	Examiner:	Anne R. Kubelik
Title:	WATERMELON VARIETIES HAVING ALTERED SUGAR RATIOS	Attorney Docket No.:	15872.017

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action mailed on February 19, 2009, Applicant hereby respectfully requests entry of the following amendments and remarks into the record of the above-captioned application.

A petition to extend the time for responding by three months to, and including, August 19, 2009 with fee authorization, is submitted herewith.

CLAIM AMENDMENTS are reflected in the listing of claims, which begin on page 2 of this paper; and

REMARKS begin on page 7.

This Amendment contains one additional independent claim. Therefore, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee of \$220, as well as any other fees that may be required with this filing, to Fennemore Craig, PC Deposit Account No. **060590**.